

TEAGASC / GII MONITOR FARMS

WEEK ENDING 27th of April 2016

Farmer	County	Litres / Cow	Fat %	Protein %	SCC	kg MS/Cow	Meal kg	Silage kg	Average Farm Cover	Cover /LU	Pre Grazing Yield	Demand/ Ha	Growth Rate/Ha
Brendan Phelan	Kilkenny	26.0	4.44	3.68	108	2.14	2	0	451	170	1200	43	57
Conor Beausang	Waterford	27.9	4.09	3.55	123	2.20	2	0	697	184	2000	61	52
* Darren Healy	Wicklow	26.8	3.79	3.41	106	2.00	2	0	740	197	1656	60	53
Donal O'Reilly	Cork	25.9	3.73	3.54	123	1.94	3	0	621	176	1500	53	52
Jamie Kealy	Carlow	28.7	4.2	3.63	81	2.32	3	0					
Martin Davin	Laois	28.1	4.18	3.36	70	2.18	2	0	1001	272	1700	58	48
Michael Doran	Wexford	21.3	4.29	3.81	113	1.78	2	0	583	158	1400	55	40
Patrick Dillon	Kilkenny	26.5	4.25	3.56	130	2.06	2	0	599	166	1150	61	39
Patrick O'Gorman	Tipperary	25.1	3.9	3.65	114	1.91	2.5	0	560	162	1400	47	35
* Peter Mongey	Meath	27.3	3.97	3.48	131	2.09	2	0	677	198	1300	55	40
* Shane O'Loughlin	Kildare	29.7	3.86	3.42	63	2.23	3	0	603	188	1300	48	55
* Winter milk													
Average		27	4.06	3.55	106	2.1	2	0	653	187	1461	54	47
Maximum		30	4.44	3.81	131	2.3	3	0	1001	272	2000	61	57
Minimum		21	3.73	3.36	63	1.8	2	0	451	158	1150	43	35

NOTES

Brendan Phelan: 14ha closed off for silage. Targetting high quality bales from this. 3rd round of nitrogen spread this week at 40 units per acre. Started breeding cows and heifers this week. Reducing meal by 1kg to 2kg will save €1000 per month.